Newsletter of the Hualapai Tribe



PUBLIC NOTICE . SPECIAL ELECTION



# WHEN:

Saturday, October 12, 2013

# WHERE:

**Multi-Purpose Building** 

POLLS OPEN AT 8:00 A.M. and CLOSE AT 5:00 P.M.

ABSENTEE VOTING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED.

Tribal members shall vote to fill two (2) Council seats. The vacancies was created by a Recall Election on Charles Vaughn, Sr. and Candida Hunter.

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# GAMYU NEWSLETTER

are every other FRIDAY(S), the week before tribal ay week by 5:00 p.m.

Article Deadline: Friday, Oct. 18

Next Publication: Friday, Oct. 25

Please remember to attach an Information Sheet with your articles.

Thank you, Kevin Davidson

# GENERALWETING

Wednesday, October 23, 2013
Tribal Gymnasium
12:00-1:00 pm – Lunch served
1:00-4:00 pm – General Meeting

Update on various issues

(agenda forthcoming)

All Welcome!!

By: Hualapai Tribal Council

# COUNCIL MEMBER CANDIDATE LIST • (Revised)

- 1. MONIQUE MAHONE-ALVIREZ
- 2. ROBERT BRAVO, JR.
- 3. OMAOVENSI COOCHWYTEWA
- 4. LINDA HAVATONE
- 5. TRAVIS MAJENTY
- 6. VIVIAN SUE PARKER



- 7. RUBY STEELE
- 8. PEARL SULLIVAN
- 9. EMMA ROSE TAPIJA
- 10.TWILA WARBINGTON
- 11. MICHAEL J. WHATONAME

Posted: 09/16/2013

# PUBLIC NOTICE of HUALAPAL TRIBAL COURT DECISION

On May 31, 2013, the Tribal Court invalidated the Recalls of Candida Hunter and Charles Vaughn and ordered that they be reinstated to the Tribal Council for the remainder of their terms. The Hualapai Election Board appealed the Tribal Courts Orders. On September 11, 2013, the Hualapai Court of Appeals reversed the Tribal Court Orders, upheld the validity of the recall elections and removed Ms. Hunter and Mr. Vaughn from the Tribal

council. The Election Board is holding a Special Election to fill the vacancies created by the recalls on October 12, 2013.

Copies of the Court of Appeals Decision and Order are available for review.

# **HUALAPAI TRIBAL ELECTION BOARD**

Posted: 09/12/2013

# SPECIAL ELECTION CANDIDATE . ROBERT BRAVO, JR.

9-22-13

Dear Hualapai Tribal Members,

Thank you for supporting me on my candidacy to be your next Hualapai Tribal Council Member. It is an honor to be a Council member for our great Hualapai Nation.

During my tenure in business I have had the opportunity to be mentored by many great leaders who have taught me the concept of team work. When you work together it builds strength, continuity and the will to be successful. Because of that, I have been very blessed to be successful during my entire professional career in business. As your Council representative, it will be my job to work with our people and all departments to create a positive and cohesive atmosphere. It will also be my job to review each budget with every Department Manager and the Chief Financial Officer to make sure your departments are adequately funded. Most importantly, my number one priority will be to listen to the voice of our people. Working together we will continue to build what our fore-fathers fought so hard to achieve.

As your Councilman I give you my word it will be my responsibility to work with our Chair, Vice-Chair and other Council members to look out for the best interest of the Hualapai People, our tribal businesses, the Hualapai tribal assets, and the tribes natural resources. I will support all Council decisions and promise to keep you informed.

In closing, I ask for your support to represent our great Nation for the remainder of the term and together we can build a better future for **all** Hualapai Tribal Members.

Please vote for me!

Sincerely, Robert Bravo Jr. Hualapai Tribal Member 00000082

# SPECIAL ELECTION CANDIDATE · ROBERT BRAVO, JR.

# Dear fellow Hualapai members;

If elected a Council Member for the Hualapai Tribe, my commitment to our Tribal Members is to always be upfront and honest, to listen to the people and make good sound decisions that will protect the interest of the Hualapai Members and our sacred lands. Respect does not come with a council position; it is earned by doing the right thing. As a business entrepreneur, I have gained respect because I recognize success is a team effort. Many great Hualapai elders taught me not to forget who we are or where we came from. I know that if elected, I will be judged and questioned by many. My commitment is to the Hualapai Nation as a whole and to you as individual Tribal Members. It is not about my personal feelings; it is about what is best for the tribe. I will not hold grudges or live in the past; I live for the now and the future of our children. I will abide by our Hualapai Tribal Constitution that our forefathers lived by. I will not walk away when things get tough, I give you my word, to step up as a Council Member and defend our right to build a better future for the Hualapai people.

Sincerely,

Robert Bravo, Jr., Member # 00000082 of the Hualapai Tribe



# VOTE ROBERT BRAVO JR. FOR TRIBAL COUNCIL

- Hard worker Hands on experience
- · High work ethics
- Loyal Been with GCRC more than 10 years
- Dependable Committed to success of tribe even in difficult situations
- Honesty and integrity
- Business oriented and results driven -Proven results during GCRC leadership
- Protection of tribal assets Understanding of tribal law and constitution
- Protection of Hualapai Tribal lands and members
- Never look down on others, everyone is equal

VOTE ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2013

VOTING IS YOUR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT AS A HUALAPAI TRIBAL MEMBER

VOTE
ROBERT BRAVO Jr
Hualapai Tribal
Council
SATURDAY Oct 12, 2013

# SPECIAL ELECTION CANDIDATE · VIVIAN PARKER

ELECTION AHEAD

I am the daughter of the late Barbara Mukeche and Sam Wong. I am proud to be Hualapai and Chinese.

I am taking this opportunity to run for the Hualapai Tribal Council.

I stand for a woman, who has raised two daughters, Fawn and Chelsea. I have 5 grandchildren and this part of the family continues to live in Wash-

ington State. I value family and this is what matters in my journey in life.

I want to be a part of the Tribal Council, to be a part of our Hualapai government that strives to make a difference for all the Hualapai tribal members, whether they live on or off the reservation.

We are at a time in our Hualapai history, where we all need to work together and share our knowledge. I would like a chance to put my education to further use serving in the Tribal Council.

I am a Hualapai teacher here at the Hualapai Training Center. I value education and this is evident through taking Fawn and Chelsea to Washington State to receive 3 degrees. I set a goal for my family when we left Peach Springs back in 1991, to seek out an education and receive the following:

1994 A.A.S.

Northwest Indian College

1997 B.A.

Western WA University

2010 Master's Public Administration/Tribal Governance Evergreen State College

I have perseverance once I set my mind to reaching goals. I bring these skills to run for the Hualapai Tribal Council:

- Family enjoying the role of mother/grandmother, etc.
- Seeking truth
- Seeking honesty
- Sharing of my knowledge

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- Love for this beautiful land we are blessed with
- Education is important
- Continue learning from others
- Team player to listen and build

I ask for your vote, October 12, 2013 to have a chance to be part of the Hualapai Tribal Council.

Your vote does count!

Thank you,

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SPECIAL ELECTION CANDIDATE · MICHAEL J. WHATONAME



# MICHAEL J. WHATONAME

I am asking for your vote to be on the Hualapai Tribal Council. Now more than ever the tribe needs people on the tribal council who will ask questions and represent the people. I am not one who will just sit there lost and confused. I know our issues and I will be assertive and can get the job done.

I feel it is important to not sit back idle, when there are important issues going on that effect our tribe and its future.

For example, the Skywalk legal issue's has been going on for too long. Just last week a Federal Judge ruled against the tribe's sovereign immunity. Why did some past council members get the tribe into such a costly mess?

Instead of paying millions of dollars toward legal fees, tribal members should be receiving per capita payments from the GCRC profits. If elected, I will work hard to get rid of costly lawyer fees and give the money back to the Hualapai people.

Per capita payments should go to tribal members and this is the top issue on my agenda if I should become a council member. I am very familiar with our tribal codes and laws. I am also well versed with the Hualapai Tribal Constitution and its Ordinances.

On Saturday, October 12, 2013, (2) tribal members will be elected to complete two council terms that expire in June 2014. They shall only serve nine months and I am asking for your vote.

Allow me to serve these nine months; and while this is a rather short period, I strongly believe that I can make change for the better. All I ask for is your vote. Vote for change. Vote for Michael J. Whatoname.

michael J. Whatmane

# SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES . April 05, 2013

APPROVED JULY 8, 2013

# HUALAPAI TRIBALCOUNCIL Special Council Meeting April 5, 2013 @ 8:30 am

Secretary: Ron Two Bulls

Roll call taken, seven (7) members present constituting a quorum. Chairwoman Counts called meeting to or-

Others Present: Philip Wisely

Donata Dupree

Robbie Honani

der at 8:35 am.

<u>Members Present</u>:

Sherry Counts Philbert Watahomigie Sr.

Barney Imus Rudy Clark Sr. Hilda Cooney Jean Pagilawa

Ronald Quasula Sr.

Vacant (2)

Approval of Agenda:

Motions to approve agenda with additions: Ron Quasula

Second: Hilda Cooney Question: Jean Pagilawa Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

1. Public Works – Philip Wisely

Planning Assistance for Rural Assistance Grant, Resolution. Philip Wisely presents the PARA Grant Application to the State of Arizona Department of Transportation for FY 2013/2014 Para Program.

# Motions to approve Resolution 33-2013 (PARA Grant): Rudy Clark

Second: Ron Quasula Discussion: Hilda Cooney

Is this the same grant that Kevin Davidson is applying for? Pw: it is the same kind of grant; Kevin's grant focuses on transportation between Kingman and Peach; whereas this grant focuses on other areas such as GCW and Bullhead City.

Question: Ron Quasula Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

## 2. Natural Resources - Donata Dupree

Noxious Weed Control Plan for the Hualapai Indian Reservation. In order for Natural Resources to receive grants applied for the departments needs to have a weed control plan in place.

Noxious Weed Management Plan, Resolution

Motion to adopt 34-2013, Noxious Weed Management Plan and submission of proposal: Rudy Clark

Second: Ron Quasula Discussion: Chairwoman Question: Chairwoman Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Issues discussed prior to BOD interviews:.

Resolution, add check signers.

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Motion to adopt 35-2013, for signature additions of Rudolph Clark and Barney Imus

Second: Vice-Chairman Question: Ron Quasula

Vote: 5 in favor; 2 not voting (rc, bi); 2 vacant

Motion to go into Executive Session: Jean Pagilawa

Second: Ron Quasula Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Tribal Council Goes into Executive Session at 9:17am

### 3. Board of Directors Interviews

Motions to come out of Executive Session: Rudy Clark

Second: Ron Quasula Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Motion to appoint Ron Quasula to Route 66 committee: Rudy Clark

Second: Jean Pagilawa Ouestion: Vice-Chairman

Vote: 6 in favor; 1 voting (rq); 2 vacant

Council voted by ballot for the selection of Board of Directors Member

Derrick Penny received the most votes.

Motion to appoint Derrick Penney to GCRC Board: Ron Quasula

Second: Rudy Clark Question: Hilda Cooney Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Motion to accept the option 2 from Phil Entz using the termination for convenience clause and

re-advertise and select replacement engineer: Rudy Clark

Second: Ron Quasula

**Discussion: Jean Pagilawa** 

JP: How many engineer company's did they have to select from? Philip Wisely would know. JP: Why can't we use one of those firms? (Call placed to Phil Entz)

... to select the next engineering firm in line (in addition to motion)

Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

# 4. Court Issue - Court Board

Meeting date with the Court Board set for May 2, 2013

### Other Issues Discussed:

- Medical Assistance to families who have reached the \$1,500 medical assistance. When a family reaches the \$1,500 limit, there is no more funding. Ron Quasula suggests that the minutes from this program be brought up for review.
- Tribal Members want to see minutes in the Gamyu. Chairwoman and Vice-Chairman first edit the Draft and then they are mailed to Council Members for further editing prior to putting on the next Tribal Council Meeting.

Motion to adjourn: Ron Quasula

Second: Rudy Clark Question: Hilda Cooney Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Meeting adjourned at 1:11 pm

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# SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES • April 18, 2013

APPROVED JULY 8, 2013

# HUALAPAI TRIBALCOUNCIL Special Council Meeting Gallagher & Kennedy Law Firm Phoenix, Arizona April 18, 2013 @ 10:25 am

Secretary: Ron Two Bulls

Roll call taken, seven (7) members present constituting a quorum. Chairwoman Counts called meeting to order at 10:25 am.

Members Present:

Others Present:

**Sherry Counts** 

**G&K Attorneys** 

Philbert Watahomigie Sr.

Galanda-Broadman Attorneys

Barney Imus Rudy Clark Sr.

Hilda Cooney (late)

Jean Pagilawa

Ronald Quasula Sr.

Vacant (2)

# Approval of Agenda:

Motion to approve agenda: Rudy Clark

Second: Ron Quasula Question: Vice-Chairman

Vote: 6 in favor; 1 excused/late; 2 vacant

Prayer, Chairwoman

Introduction and disclosure by Galanda-Broadman

Attorneys for G&K suggest that Tribal Council go into Executive Session.

Motions to go into Executive Session: Rudy Clark

Second: Vice-Chair Question: Barney Imus Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant.

Tribal Council goes into Executive Session at 10:38 am

Motion to come out of Executive Session: Ron Quasula

Second: Rudy Clark Question: Vice-Chairman Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Tribal Council comes out of Executive Session at 2:45pm

Other Issues discussed:

Issues with departments and differences of personalities/departments. When a complaint comes in, it needs to be addressed immediately.

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Chairwoman confirms/reaffirms the decision to retain Galanda-Broadman to move forward with second opinion. Hopefully they get all the information from us they need to move forward with the work.

Vice-Chair asks if the law firm of Galanda-Broadman would like to speak with GCRC/GCW people. Galanda-Broadman indicates that they do not need to right now. Arrangements will be made if they decide they need to speak with them.

Galanda-Broadman reiterates what he stated at the beginning of this meeting; that what is heard in executive session must remain confidential.

Motions to adjourn: Vice-Chairman

Second: Jean Pagilawa **Question: Rudy Clark** Vote: 7 in favor: 2 vacant

Meeting Adjourned at 3:28pm

# SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES . May 02, 2013

APPROVED JULY 8, 2013

# **HUALAPAI TRIBALCOUNCIL Special Council Meeting** May 2, 2013 @ 8:30 am

Secretary: Ron Two Bulls

Roll call taken, seven (7) members present constituting a quorum. Chairwoman Counts called meeting to order at 8:40 am.

**Members Present:** 

Others Present:

**Sherry Counts** 

**Earlene Havatone** 

Philbert Watahomigie Sr.

Carrie Imus

**Barney Imus** 

Clara Mahone

Rudy Clark Sr.

Angie Walema

Hilda Cooney

Chief Judge Duane Yellowhawk

Jean Pagilawa

Ronald Ouasula Sr.

Vacant (2)

# <u>Approval of Agenda</u>:

Motions to approve the agenda: Jean Pagilawa

**Second: Ron Quasula Ouestion: Rudy Clark** 

1 Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Prayer, Jean Pagilawa

### 1. Court Board - Earlene Havatone, Chair

Based on the nature of the discussion, Chairwoman suggests that Council go into Executive Session.

Motion to go into executive session: Hilda Cooney

Second: Ron Quasula Question; Vice-Chairman



Vote: 7 in favor; 2 in vacant

Council goes into Executive Session at 8:41am

# 2. Chief Judge Yellowhawk Hearing

(Issue handled while Council still in Executive Session)

Motions to come out of Executive Session: Ron Quasula

Second: Vice-Chairman

Vote: 6 in favor; 1 absent (rc); 2 vacant

Council comes out of Executive Session at 10:53

Motion in regards to Judge Yellowhawk in addressing the concerns; First, will have internal independent investigation in regard to the Court Board; notice and he'll still be working; there will be an evaluation done by Tribal Council via Chair, and then the follow-up on issues and concerns, and drop in on the court as needed: Chairwoman Counts Second: Vice-Chairman

Chairwoman: add to the motion "w/in 60-day time frame"

**Question: Ron Quasula** 

Vote: 6 in favor; 1 not voting; 2 vacant

## 3. Other Issues Discussed

- Head start Issues - certification of teachers was discussed.

Council agrees that HR to advertise for Director, three (3) teachers and the Education Coordinator.

- Board of Directors Update, Hilda Cooney new employee handbook that has been in review. It will be implemented 6/01. There is also a new housing application for housing at GCW. Terry provided an update on the infrastructure. The gift shop at the ranch has made a 2300% in sales. MCC has donated 4 previously used classroom buildings. GCW paid \$1. Some will be used for housing. GCW needs to find a way to transport them. GCW is doing master plan for the ranch. Park and ride has been in operation since mid-February; transporting 300 passengers per day; RFP is still out on this service. Suggesting a complaint box for community to address issues. Set up a communications center so that people have a place to write their complaints to. Maybe a customer service number if it can be resolved. Setting up a safety policy. GCW was going to meet with Chief of Police The safety at the ranch has also been addressed. Safety director came up with a safety plan.
- Ron Quasula has been talking to Wanda Easter. He suggested that the council meetings be raised.

Motions to increase pay from \$150 to \$200 per meeting, regular and special: Ron Quasula

Second: Rudy Clark

**Question: Vice-Chairman** 

Vote: 5 in favor; 1 oppose; 1 not voting; 2 vacant

Ron Quasula would like to see the liaison fees changed at a flat rate. Not per meeting, but per day. Would like to see the documents and bring this back to the table - at a next meeting. Right now it's \$200 per meeting

- Ron Quasula will be dedicating the park to Dallas Quasula Sr. tomorrow at lunch. Council suggests that they all be involved in the dedication during a lunch break.
- Health Board, Chairwoman no one is participating in the meetings with the Health Board. IHS is saying that no one is attending meetings. Maybe letters need to be written to the members to let them know of the importance of these meetings.
- Process Servers on Tribal members were sitting at the High School yesterday. They did go

through the process so it was okay. CEO asked if they could get them away from the office. They were also sitting in front of Chair's home waiting for her. Doesn't feel comfortable with them sitting around in different places; not in front of homes, or offices. They can sit on Hwy 66. Chair asked Chief Bradley to have them removed.

- Galanda-Broadman update, Vice-Chairman. They are ready to meet with tribal council in about two weeks.
- Housing issues There are 2 issues on the agenda; The 20th of May at 8:30am is tentatively scheduled to meet as a housing board to address the issues instead of in the council meeting.
- Community meeting at the multi, Hilda Cooney. An issue was brought up regarding a child that was born in October. The child was enrolled after the moneys were disbursed. This issue can't be changed. As long as the paper work was done before the enrollment cut-off date. Enrollment Committee erred in giving information. Also possibility of dually enrolled members.
- Public Works in the process of writing up policies and procedures; chair will f/u with Phil Wisely today.

Motion to adjourn: Rudy Clark

Second: Jean Pagilawa **Question: Barney Imus** Vote: 7 in favor; 2 vacant

Meeting adjourned at 11:44am

### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

# DOMESTIC VIOLENC AWARENESS MONTH FOR OCTOBER

WE WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO COME AND PARTICI PATE IN THE SCHEDULED EDUCATION & TRAINING FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, TEEN DATING, BULLYING, SEXUAL ASSAULT, THE IMPACT OF DV ON CHILDREN, LGBTQ, DV LIFE EXPERIENCE, DV LEGAL ASPECTS, VIGIL WALK, BAL-LOON RELEASE, TRADITIONAL SWEAT, SOCIAL GATHER

ING GOURD SINGING BIRD DANCING WE WILL BE POSTING OUT

FLYERS AND POSTERS FOR EACH EVENT)

Contact:

Hualapai Human Services Domestic Violence Program 321 Shady Lane Peach Springs, AZ 86434 (928) 769-2269

# OCTOBER 2013

# Domestic Violence Awareness Month Education & Training Activities

Sat				26 Social Gathering by the Head Start at 10:00 am	
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Fri	4	11 Balloon Release for children/Youth at the park by lodge at 12pm	<b>2</b>	25	
Thu	3 Women Sweat by Head Start 6pm	10 LGBTQ Awareness at Gym @ 10am to 4pm Youth Sweat by Head Start @ 6pm	17 Men Sweat by Head Start @ 6pm	24 Domestic Violence 101 at the multipurpose building @ 9am to 4pm	31 Balloon Release 12pm @ the Park by Lodge
wed	2 Domestic Vio- lence 101 at the Gym @ 9am to 3pm	9 Teen Dating Awareness at Gym @ 9am to 1pm	16 Sexual Assault at Gym @ 9am to 4pm	23	30
Tue	1 Vigil Walk @ 6pm meet at Tribal Office	8 Anti Bullying Parents/Children and Youth at Gym @ 9am to 1pm	15 DV Life Experience Sharing at Gym @ 6pm	22	29 The Impact of DV on Children at the multi purpose building @ 9am to 12pm
Мол		7 Vigil Walk @ 6pm for Children/ Youth Meet at Boys & Girls Club	4	21	28 DV Legal Aspects at Multi Purpose Building @gam to 12pm. LGTBGQ Awareness at multi 6pm to 8pm
Sun		9	13	20	27

# HUALAPAI RECREATION DEPARTMENT



# **MONTH of OCTOBER**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Post flyers for basketball league	2	3	4 Deadline for volleyball league	5 Soccer games @ Seligman
6	7 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm	8 Bearizona field trip 9AM	9 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm Deer farm field trip9AM	10 Movies/ bowling field trip	11	12 Soccer league tournament @ Seligman
13	14 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm	15	16 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm	17	18	19
20	21 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm	22	23 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm	24	25 Halloween Harvest carnival	26
27	28 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm	29	30 Co-ed Volleyball 6pm	31		

Fort Mojave Indian Days October 18-19, 2013

# FORT MOJAYE INDIAN DAYS "Carrying the Warrior Spirit Within" 37" ANNUAL

October 18-19, 2013

Fort Mojave Indian Days Parade · Fort Mojave Baby Pageant · Fort Mojave Royalty Pageant
Bird Singing and Dance Contest · Cultural Workshops · Horseshoe Tournament
Shinny Tournament · Golf Tournament · Frybread Eating Contest
Tug-O-War · Kids Games · Fun Run/Walk

Events held in Needles, California Village Park. Located at 500 Merriman Avenue, Needles, California.

(With the exception of the Golf Tournament)

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Avi Resort & Casino 1-800-AVI-2WIN (284-2946)

Mojave Days Room Rate Code: **GFMID13** 

Mojave Resort Golf Course (702) 535-4653

Parade Information: Contact Nichole Garcia (928) 346-3925 or Nichole Garcia o fortmojave.com For additional information contact Public Relations (760) 629-4591 ext.106



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**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC - FREE ADMISSION** 

# WOMEN'S SOBRIETY SUPPORT GROUP



# Women's

# **Sobriety Support Group**



**Beginning October 22, 2013** 

And Every Tuesday after

**Health Education &** 

Wellness Conference Room

12:10 pm - 12:50 pm

Snacks will be provided.

Sponsored by Behavioral Health Program

Presenter: Danna M. Peterson M.Ed., Therapist

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# TRIBAL PHOTOVOLTAIC (SOLAR ENERGY) WORKSHOP NAU's Native American Cultural Center, Flagstaff, AZ NAU's Tribal Clean Energy Resource Center's November 12-13, 2013









NAU's Tribal Clean Energy Resource Center (TCERC) invites all tribal members and employees to

attend this two-day workshop taught by TCERC's PV expert Deb Tewa in NAU's new Native American Cultural Center. Deb will walk through all aspects of PV Technology and lead lively discussions with including the basics of solar energy, system design, siting, and rooftop installations. Also included: industry leaders. TCERC's PV Workshop will include hands-on work on photovoltaic solar energy

Day 1, 8am-5pm

Lab work with PV Modules and Meters

Day 2, 8am-1pm

- Tour of NAU's 160 kW PV array and Coconino Community College's Mobile PV System
- Discussions with solar energy leaders:



Ann Marie Chischilly NAU's TCERC



Ken Lomayestewa Hopi Tribe

**Aaron Gillmore** VP Solar City



Navajo Tribal Utility Authority **Derrick Terry** 

ence working to bring solar energy to and the Arizona Energy Office. Tewa National Labs Tribal Energy Program Deb Tewa has over 30 years experidiverse communities. She managed NativeSUN, worked with Sandia also taught Basic and Advanced

Workshop Instructor: Deb Tewa

Photovoltaics at Central Arizona College.

# Workshop Partners:



College





Sponsored by Northern Arizona University's Tribal Clean **Energy Resource Center (TCERC)** For registration and agenda: For questions, please contact Nikishna Polequaptewa at

nikishna@nau.edu

http://www4.nau.edu/itep/tcerc/tcerc\_newsevents.asp

\$20 Registration Fee covers lunches, parking fees, and workshop supplies NAU · TRIBAL PHOTOVOLTAC (SOLAR ENERGY) WORKSHOP

# Tribal Photovoltaic (Solar Energy) Workshop Nov 12-13, 2013

# Northern Arizona University's Native American Cultural Center Sponsored by NAU's Tribal Clean Energy Resource Center (TCERC)

Day One, Tuesday November 12th, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Registration opens: Andy Bessler
Welcome by TCERC: Ann Marie Chischilly, TCERC Director
Introductions: Deb Tewa
PV 101 Workshop Overview: Deb Tewa
1. PV Terminology
2. PV Technology
Break
Site Analysis: Deb Tewa
<ol> <li>Types of PV systems (on and off grid)</li> </ol>
Lunch: Hosted by Solar City with a Presentation by Solar City's Aaron
Gillmore, Vice President of Business Development for Solar City
PV Group Labs: Deb Tewa
(Each group studies at six labs, circulating every 10 minutes)
Break
Continuation of PV Labs: Deb Tewa
Debrief the day: Deb Tewa
Conclude Day One

# Day Two, Wednesday, November 13th, 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

8:30 am	Review of Day One: Deb Tewa
9:00 am	PV Guest Speakers (30 minutes with 20 minutes for each speaker with 10 minutes for Q & A)
	1. TCERC: Karin Wadsack and Nikishna Polequaptewa
	<ol><li>Hopi Tribe: Ken Lomayestewa, Hopi Tribe's Renewable Energy Office</li></ol>
	<ol> <li>Navajo Tribal Utility Authority (NTUA): Derrick Terry, NTUA's Renewable Energy Representative</li> </ol>
11:00 am	Tour of NAU 160 kW PV array: NAU's Kevin Ordean (please wear shoes appropriate for a short walk on an unpaved trail)
12:30 pm	Lunch with Closing Thoughts: Hosted by Solar City
1:30 pm	Optional Tour and Lab with Coconino Community College's PV System at 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Campus.

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# NOTICE FROM the HUALARAI CHILD CARE PROGRAM



# GWE SPO:JA YIWO Department of Hualapai Education & Training

P.O. BOX 179
460 HUALAPAI WAY
PEACH SPRINGS, AZ 86434-0179
PHONE: (928) 769-2200 • FAX (928) 769-1101

Dear Child care Client,

**September 18, 2013** 

The Hualapai Tribal Child Care Plan for FY 2012-2013 will end -

# September 30, 2013.

Child care services will not be available for <u>October 2013</u>, as the new Tribal Plan that has been designed for the Day Care Center. No amendments will be made to the plan.

Day care applications will be available for projected opening of the Day Care Center. You may pick up an application at the training center, go on line to the Hualapai Nations webpage or request an application to be e-mailed or faxed to you.

If you have any questions regarding the child care program, feel free to contact Lucille J. Watahomigie at (928) 769-2200.

Jessica Powskey
Hualapai Day Care
(928) 769-2200
Hualcccenter1@gmail.com

# HADC • EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

# **Hualapai Adult Detention Center**

**Employee of the Month** 

We would like to introduce to you our department's employee of the month. We have implemented this employee of the month to let our employees know that their outstanding efforts will not be over looked. Each employee is selected by their co-workers to receive this award. With that said we would like to thank our two employees very much for their outstanding performance, dedication to the Hualapai Tribe and it's people.

July 2013 Ruthie Tsosie



August 2013 Billy Tucker



CO Ruthie Tsosie. Director Angela Chavez and CO Billy Tucker



# HIP APPLICATIONS . Deadline: November 29, 2013



# \*\*\*\*\*\*ATTENTION\*\*\*\*\*\*



# Now Accepting

# Housing Improvement Program (HIP) Applications

The Housing Improvement Program is a home repair, renovation and replacement grant program administered by the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) and federally-recognized Indian Tribes for American Indians and Alaska Native individuals and families who have no immediate resource for standard housing. To be eligible for HIP assistance, you must be a member of a federally recognized American Indian tribe or be an Alaska Native; live in an approved tribal service area; have an income that does not exceed 125% of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Poverty Guidelines; have present housing that is substandard, as defined in the regulations 25 CFR, Part 256; have no other resource for housing assistance; have not received HIP assistance after October 1, 1986 for repairs, renovation, replacement or housing, or down payment assistance; and have not acquired your present housing through a federally sponsored housing program that includes such housing assistance. Interested applicants should contact Michelle Zephier at the Hualapai Planning Dept. for an Application Package containing the application, guidelines, and required supporting documentation necessary in order to qualify for eligibility. Complete applications and all supporting documentation are due by November 29, 2013. No exceptions.

### Contact Persons:

Michelle Zephier - Hualapai Planning Dept

Office Phone: (928) 769-1310;

Fax: (928) 769-1337

Western Region (BIA) - Nancy Jones,

Office Phone: (602) 379-3083;

Fax: (602) 379-4006

# ELDERLY CORNER OCTOBER SCHEDULE

	Fri Sat	**Raffle calling @ elderly center @ 12 pm.	11	19	25	Notes: *Please sign up for commodity and town day.  ** Raffle calling @ the elderly center @ 12pm.  Activities are subjected to change
2	Thu	3 *town day @ 9 am.	Healthy heart @ 8:30 am.	Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1pm.	24  Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1pm.	Happy to Halloween Party.
October 2013	Wed	7	9 Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1pm.	16 Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1pm.	Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ lpm.	30 Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1pm.
2	Tue		8 Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1pm.	15 Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ lpm.	Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1 pm.	Healthy heart @ 8:30 am. Beading class @ 1pm.
	Mon			14 Elderly Meeting @ 1 pm.	21	<b>58</b>
	Sun		9	13	20	27

ELDERLY CORNER - Deadline: Dec., 13,

# December 27 & 28, 2013 Peach Springs, Arizona

The Hualapai Tribal Youth Council welcomes all tribal elders in the state of Arizona to participate in our first **Elder Reindeer Games!** 

Join us in a welcome dinner, bingo and dance on Friday evening, on Saturday a full day of Reindeer Games with a closing dinner and awards ceremony. A Pendleton blanket and shawl will be presented to the oldest male and female Elder Reindeer Games participants.

We are anxious to welcome you to our community and have a great time with you at the games.

Ms. Carmella Fuentes, President **Hualapai Tribal Youth Council** 

Reindeer Games

Ages 55 and older

**Age Categories** Boomers 55-61 Masters 62-69 Golden Ager70 and over

- **Beanbag Toss**
- **Newspaper Crunch**
- Chicken Throw
- **Basketball Throw**
- Ping Pong Ball Obstacle Course
- Oompa Loompa Relay
- Cup Stalk
- Chair Volleyball Tournament

1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbons & medals for all age categories. Trophies for volleyball tournament winners.



# Friday 12/27

2:00PM—Registration, Hualapai Lodge Lobby, 900 Route 66.

5:00PM-Dinner, Bingo, DJ Dance, and best reindeer costume contest, Hualapai Tribal Gym, 930 Rodeo Way.

# Saturday 12/28

8:00AM-Reindeer Games, Music Mountain Campus, 16500 E. Route 66.

5:00PM-Dinner & Awards Ceremony, Hualapai Tribal Gym, 930 Rodeo Way.

Registration Deadline December 13, 2013 No registration fee.

# Hotel Information

Hualapai Lodge 900 Route 66, Peach Springs, AZ Phone: (928) 769-2230

Room reservations for the night of 12/27 & 28 at the rate of \$82.50 can be made by calling the Hualapai Lodge and requesting room block, "Elder Games." Reservation deadline 12/13/13.

# Event Contact & Registration

Hualapai Tribal Youth Council POB 397/488 Hualapai Way Peach Springs, AZ

Phone: (928) 769-2207 Fax: (928) 769-2884 Email: pete.imus@gmail.com





ELDERLY CORNER - Deadline: Dec., 13, 2013

# Hualapai Tribal Youth Council Elder Reindeer Games

Registration Form

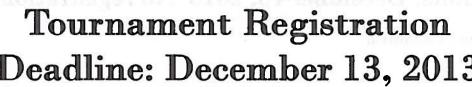
Deadline: December 13, 2013 No registration fee.

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☐ Basketb	all Throw		Cup Stalk	
☐ Oompa	Loompa Relay		Ping Pong Ball Obstacle Course	
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# Hualapai Tribal Youth Council Elder Reindeer Games

Chair Volleyball



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R	ules & Descr	iptions
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•	Teams may h roster.	nave a maximum of nine (9) players and a minimum of six (6) players on the official
•	The height or	f the net will be at a recommended safe playing height.
•	Teams must	start with six (6) players. Teams are co-ed.
•	Players will r	otate in a clockwise direction. Teams must change servers when rotating.
•	All players m	oust be 55 years and older.

**Team Members** 

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ELDERLY CORNER - Deadline: Nov., 21, 2013

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# 32" INCH SAMSUNG TV IS UP FOR RAFFLE.

# RAFFLE TICKETS ARE 6 FOR \$5.00 ORA \$1.00 A TICKET.

DRAWING WILL TAKE PLACE ON THURSDAY NOVEMBER 21<sup>st</sup>.

IF YOU'D LIKE TO PURCHASE SOME TICKETS PLEASE SEE SHANE, HELEN, MILLIE, BRENDA, BARBARA TINHORN OR SERINA NODMAN.

10/20

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# ELDERLY CORNER October Birthdays

### Juanita I. 10/01 Carl O. Linda D. 10/07 Sophie W. Cecil G. Roselynn W. 10/22 10/15 Clara M. 10/17 Deloria W. Verna K. Vickie G. 10/18

### ELDER'S RAFFLE WINNER

# Viola Gala Winner of the Boom Box

Thank you for buying the raffle tickets community. We are raising money to help out with the Senior Games in December.

# EDUCATION & TRAINING INFORMATION

# PEACH SPRINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

# October 2013 Events

September 30-October 3 Galileo Benchmark testing

October 1 Governing Board meeting at 5:30 p.m.

October 1 Volleyball game home v. Parker 3:30 p.m. at MMHS

October 2 Puberty sessions grades 5-8 2:00 p.m.

October 2 Cross-Country away at Windsor Beach Multi 5:00 p.m.

October 2 Child Find parent meeting 3:30 p.m.

October 3 End of First Grading Period-Yeah!

October 5 Cross-country away-check with coach for location

October 7-10 Fall Break

October 14 Tutoring starts

October 14 Fire prevention education (grades k-3)

October 15 Half-day Parent/Teacher Conferences

October 16 Honor Roll Assemblies K-4 9:00-9:45/5-8 9:50-10:20

October 16 Fall Pictures (look for packets)

October 21 Volleyball away at Kingman Jr. High 3:30 p.m.

October 21 Cross-Country away at Thunderbolt Multi. 3:45 p.m.

October 22 Volleyball away at Black Mountain 4:00 p.m.

October 21-24 Red Ribbon Week (kick off at Peach Elem. on 10/21)

October 23 Cross-Country away at Kingman Academy 2:00 p.m.

October 30 Prosody Presentations (Location/Time-TBA)

October 31 Halloween classroom parties-last hour of school

If you have a GCRC work number (769-2419/769-2627), please give us your work extension in order for us to contact you for important phone calls.

### Did you know...

50% of Arizona students identify their parents as the number one influence on their academic success.

# Currently in Arizona...

74% of 4th graders are below proficient in reading

69% of 8th graders are below proficient in math

53% of high school graduates do not qualify to enroll in Arizona's public universities.

59% of Arizona students that attend a community college require remediation.

We can "Beat the Odds" by inspiring our kids daily to do things they never dreamed of.

# PSUSD · SUPERINTENDENT'S SUPER STARS · Oct. 03, 2013

Kindergarten - Gary Gonzales, Jr.

1st Grade • Mrs. Walker - Adelaide Warbington
2nd Grade • Ms. Rich - Quentin Steele
3rd Grade • Mr. Medal - Ashtyn Wellington Powsey
4th Grade • Ms. Quasula - Damaris Parker
5th Grade • Ms. Cantos - Eileen Gonzales

6th Grade • Mr. Wagner - Julian Havatone
7th Grade • Ms Deswood - Taliesha Wellington
8th Grade • Ms. Deswood - Marvin Majenty
ART • Ms. Thomas - Peter Garcia
READING • Ms. Fuller - Carmelo Manakaja
PE • Ms. Schifano - Damaris Parker

# VIVIAN'S CED CORNER

# Vivian's GED Corner

A GED testing schedule has been made by Brenda Hucker, Testing Coordinator at Mohave Community College.

The new schedule will cover the last 3 months of 2013. I remind the community that the GED tests will be re-written starting January 1, 2014.

If you have taken 1 or more test(s), I encourage you to call (928-769-2200) or see me at the Hualapaí Training Center to complete

the 5 tests which are Science, Social Studies, Math, Writing and Reading.

If you have taken 1 or more test(s) and Choose not to complete all 5, the test(s) you have taken will disappear starting January 1, 2014.

Our community has seen 6 individuals receive their GED!!!! Join this group of individuals in our community, who were successful in their education!

I offer my help so you can finish your studies for a GED test(s). Class is held Monday – Friday 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.



The General Education Diploma (GED) will go through changes starting January 2014.

- All tests will be taken on a computer at Mohave Community College.
- The tests will reflect what a Senior in High School is required to know for graduation.
- The testing fee will increase. At this time, there is no dollar amount to pass on for information.

A student will need to pass the following subjects with a score of at least **410**.

Science

**Social Studies** 

Math

Reading

Writing

With all 5 tests, you need to have an average of 450.

# An example is a student receives the following scores on the 5 tests:

Science	470
Social Studies	460
Math	430
Reading	450
Writing	450

The students' total score equals 2,260. The total 2,260 is divided by 5 tests and the average equals 452.

This shows that each test was passed as the student received over the **410** required for each test and the average is over the **450** for all 5 tests.

# Another example that is important:

If a student has passed 3 of the 5 tests and chooses not to continue taking the 2 remaining tests in January

2014, the 3 tests this student passed will disappear AND the student will have to start taking all 5 tests again in 2014.

- If you are an enrolled Hualapai tribal members, the Training Center has funds to pay for the test fee.
- Vivian Parker continues to hold class daily, Monday Friday from 1:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. at the Training Center.
- The Training Center is also open Monday Thursday from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. for help with the GED, online high school or tutoring.

Please call Vivian Parker at 928-769-2200, if you have any questions.



# MCC Mohave Community College

# Paper/Pencil GED Registration and Test Dates Kingman Schedule

MCC Kingman Campus, 1971 Jagerson Ave., Kingman, AZ 86409

	Event	Date	Time	Room	Comments	
یب	•GED Registration	Deadline is	s August 5th at 3pm	Testing Center, 107	* Testing spaces are limited. First come, first serve basis.	
August 2013	GED Testing	Aug. 8&9	9am - 1:30pm	Testing Center, 107	Must register <u>prior</u> to deadline Additional questions,	
∢	GED Re-Testing	Aug. 6	9am	Testing Center, 107	please call 928-692-3046.	
.: E	*GED Registration	Deadline is S	eptember 6 <sup>th</sup> at 3pm	Testing Center, 107	* Testing spaces are limited. First come, first serve basis.	
Sept. 2013	GED Testing	Sept. 12&13	9am - 1:30pm	Testing Center, 107	Must register <u>prior</u> to deadling Additional questions,	
	GED Re-Testing	Sept. 10	9am	Testing Center, 107	piease call 928-692-3046.	
ber 13	*GED Registration	Deadline is October 11th at 3pm		Testing Center, 107	* Testing spaces are limited. First come, first serve basis.	
October 2013	GED Re-Testing	Oct. 15	9am	Testing Center, 107	Must register <u>prior</u> to deadlin Additional questions, please call 928-692-3046.	
October 2013	*GED Registration	Deadline is	October 24th at 3pm	Testing Center, 107	* Testing spaces are limited. First come, first serve basis.	
	GED Testing	Oct. 28&29	9am - 1:30pm	Testing Center, 107	Must register <u>prior</u> to deadline Additional questions,	
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\*\*GED TEST DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE\*\*